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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER
37 CFR §§ 1.97 AND 1.98**

The Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 10, 2006

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56 applicant hereby notifies the United States Patent and Trademark Office of the documents which are listed on the attached PTO-1449 forms and which the examiner may deem relevant to the patentability of the claims in the above-identified application. One copy of each of the listed non-U.S. patent documents is submitted herewith.


In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) for the listed foreign language document, applicant encloses herewith an English-language version of a foreign patent office action citing the document, indicating the degree of relevance (if not already included) found by the foreign office. In addition, a computer-generated English abstract is attached to the foreign language document.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner initial or otherwise mark one copy of forms PTO-1449 and forward the same to the applicants indicating that the documents listed thereon have been considered.

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In the event that this paper is not timely filed, applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee therefor, as well as any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,
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